

In the Specification

Please amend the Abstract as follows:

~~This invention relates specifically to a~~ A pivoting seat pew or bench furniture, which utilizes the benefits of theater style seating with the functionality and aesthetic of a traditional pew. This seating assembly provides additional seating capacity over traditional pews offering lower seating costs and lower construction costs. This seating assembly also provides modularized seating components so that the seating assembly can be constructed to any desired length without requiring customized construction or components.

Please amend the Paragraph 43 as follows:

[0043] FIG. 8 is an exploded perspective view of the seating assembly of FIG. ~~[[8]]~~ 7 showing seats in both the unoccupied and occupied positions having a continuous seat back member.